Changes for Brush/Wood Waste Collection

Beginning in 2014, brush and wood waste will be collected during the garbage only weeks on resident’s normal collection day.

Bulky limbs and cuttings from trees and shrubs must be cut in four feet lengths and piled neatly at the curb.

Brush and wood waste shall not be placed in a container or garbage can. It should be placed directly on the curb by 7 AM on resident’s normal collection day.

It is city policy that any piles of brush and wood waste left at the curb by a contractor will not be picked up by the City of Shawano. Contractors are responsible for disposing of this waste.

The City does not dispose of entire trees or lot clearings left at the curb for collection.

Residents may bring brush and wood waste to the wood recycling site during normal operation hours.

Large piles of brush and wood waste left for the city collection crew shall be billed at the rate of $250 per five yard truck load.

Yard waste will continue to be collected every week on your normal collection day. Yard waste shall be placed at the curb in paper 30 gallon bio-degradable bags or plastic containers 26 galons or less. If plastic containers are used, a “Shawano Yard Waste” sticker must be placed on the container clearly visible to the collection crew. Stickers are available at the Public Works Department located at 2905 E Richmond St., or at City Hall located at 127 S. Sawyer St. at no cost to the resident.

Containers shall not exceed 50 pounds in weight.

Please note that yard waste placed in plastic bags at the curb will be tagged and rejected by the collection crew. Keep all garbage, metal, wood and brush out of the paper bags or containers of yard waste.

If you have any questions, please contact the Department of Public Works at 715-526-3512